

Sirs:

Maybe one of the most difficult type of subject to debate in one that is so ridiculous, a sane individual would not even consider entertaining the idea. To enumerate all the objections to this proposal would leave the reader mind-numbed.

If the AM and HiFiSSB operators, and their EXTREME wideband signals, find that they are congesting their sub-bands, they are free to operate CW or digital modes, and occupy infinitely less bandwidth.

A step towards "I was their first, so the 10 or 20khz chunk of the band is mine.", anarchy is not what is needed on the Amateur Radio Frequencies. The frequency availability for extreme bandwidth signals does not need to be increased.

A common and essential occurrence on the Amateur Bands involves the participant of a QSO in progress notifying a newcomer to the frequency that he is causing interference. How would a CW station in QSO, communicate to an AM station, starting a 5 minute or more tune-up session, that the AM station was causing interference? Even if the AM station were to listen between the incessantly repeated, "Ahhhhhhhhhhhhhhhhhhhh.....s", the differences in receiver modes obviates the ability for meaningful communication.

I respectfully request that this proposal be denied.

Thank you,
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